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1. With regard to plots, NPIC now produces plots of missions from telemetry and imagery data for immediate need by the image interpreters. The national tasking plan under Option 2 assigns this responsibility to AMS. However NPIC will still have to produce plots to have them immediately available for first and second phase read-out by NPIC image interpreters. Unfortunately, the initial plotting requirement is an inherent fact of life in first and second phase reporting.

2. Under tasking Option 2, some industries such as the aircraft industries would in fact end up split between NPIC and DIA. Plants producing medium and heavy bombers would be assigned to NPIC under Strategic Weapons Industry Facilities. Plants producing aircraft of other types would be given to DIA under General Purpose Weapons Industry Facilities. A plant such as KAZAM #22, producing both a medium bomber and a transport would apparently be studied by both NPIC and DIA. In questions involving obvious duplication growing out of issues of this kind, should the duplication be permitted or should all such complexities be referred to some sort of special court for resolution?

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3. A major gap would seem to exist in regard to the role of mapping, charting and area intelligence in the exploitation of photography. The JIIRG report 25X1A1a does not mention this. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Use of photography in satisfying national requirements in the mapping and charting fields is on the rise. There should be some cognizance taken of these functional areas in the tasking of imagery interpretation resources.

4. The present security restrictions and special compartmentation of overhead reconnaissance products, by themselves, tend to drive up the costs of the exploitation effort. Some duplication of effort might be caused by compartmentation and by one Agency's ignorance of another's efforts. Has JIIRG satisfied itself on this score?

5. The tasking plan appears to pre-suppose that we will always have firm identifications of targets. A good many targets are currently uncategorized. Should not some step be taken to insure that third phase work on important but unidentified targets will be performed?

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